

## 53627 to 53752—Continued.

53674. *COTONEASTER DIELSIANA* E. Pritz.

A shrub, 3 to 6 feet high, with arching stems, pinkish flowers, and red fruits, native to thickets of western Hupeh at altitudes of 4,000 to 6,000 feet. The small leaves turn deep reddish purple in the fall. (Adapted from *Arnold Arboretum, Bulletin of Popular Information*, No. 15.)

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 43990.

53675. *COTONEASTER DIVARICATA* Rehd. and Wils.

A shrub, 3 to 6 feet high, with gracefully reflexed branches, shining leaves paler beneath, and rose-colored flowers. The red fruits are ovoid. Native to thickets of western Hupeh, China, at altitudes of 4,000 to 6,000 feet. (Adapted from *Sargent, Plantae Wilsonianae*, vol. 1, p. 157.)

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 38149.

53676. *COTONEASTER FRANCHETII* Bois.

An ornamental evergreen shrub 8 to 10 feet high, with gracefully arching branches, with lustrous green leaves covered with a thick whitish to pale-brown felt beneath. The white rose-tinged flowers are followed by orange-scarlet fruits covered with a grayish down. Native to Tibet and western China. (Adapted from *Bean, Trees and Shrubs Hardy in the British Isles*, vol. 1, p. 409.)

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 45705.

53677. *COTONEASTER FRIGIDA* Wall.

A half-evergreen Himalayan shrub, 20 feet high, bearing large clusters of creamy white flowers followed by scarlet fruits. One of the most beautiful in flower and fruit, but not hardy in the north. (Adapted from *Bailey, Standard Cyclopaedia of Horticulture*, vol. 2, p. 867.)

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 47664.

53678. *COTONEASTER FRIGIDA* Wall.

Variety *aurca*. A yellow-fruited variety.

53679. *COTONEASTER HARROVIANA* Wilson.

A handsome shrub, 4 to 6 feet high, with somewhat leathery, partially evergreen leaves, shining dark green above and densely tomentose beneath, densely many-flowered corymbs 2 inches across, and white flowers with reddish purple anthers, succeeded by red fruits. Native to Yunnan, China. (Adapted from *Gardeners' Chronicle*, 3d ser., vol. 51, pl. 3, and from *Sargent, Plantae Wilsonianae*, vol. 1, p. 173.)

53680. *COTONEASTER HEBEPHYLLA* Diels.

A graceful, spreading shrub, 6 to 10 feet high, with white flowers and violet anthers, native to moist open situations at the north end of Chung Tien Plateau at altitudes of 8,500 to 9,000 feet and to the Likang Valley at altitudes of 8,500 to 14,000 feet. The flowers are clustered 6 to 16 in corymbs. (Adapted from *Notes from the Edinburgh Royal Botanic Garden*, vol. 5, p. 273.)

53681. *COTONEASTER HENRYANA* (C. Schneid.) Rehd. and Wils.

A deciduous, papery leaved shrub, 6 to 12 feet high, with green roughish leaves, ashy white tomentose beneath. The flat lax corymbs, 2 to 3 inches across, are composed of white flowers with purple anthers. The ovoid fruits are red. Native to western Hupeh and eastern Szechwan, China, in woodlands at altitudes of 4,000 to 6,000 feet. (Adapted from *Sargent, Plantae Wilsonianae*, vol. 1, p. 174.)

For previous introduction, see S. P. I. No. 40167.